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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR  
TREATMENT OF DISEASES ASSOCIATED  
WITH ABERRANT MICROSATELITE  
EXPANSION

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Examiner: Ton, THAIAN N

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 4, 2009 in the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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